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February 11, 2010

The Honorable Chairman and Members of the Hawaii Public Utilities Commission Kekuanaoa Building 465 South King Street, 1st Floor Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Commissioners:

RE: Docket No. 2009-0049 – Application of Wai'ola O Moloka'i, Inc. For Review and Approval of Rate Increases; Revised Rate Schedules; and Revised Rules.

On February 3, 2010, Wai'ola O Moloka'i, Inc. ("WOM") filed a Motion to Dismiss County of Maui as an Intervenor ("Motion to Dismiss"). After reviewing WOM's Motion to Dismiss filed in this matter, the Division of Consumer Advocacy respectfully informs the Commission that it will remain neutral with respect to WOM's Motion to Dismiss and therefore, will not be filing a responsive pleading to WOM's Motion to Dismiss.

Sincerely,

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